



PATENT
Attorney Docket No.: **050179-0080**

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of)
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Himanshu N. BRAHMBHATT, et al.)
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Serial No.: 09/530,772)
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Filed: May 04, 2000)
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For: SUICIDE EXPRESSION VECTOR FOR USE)
IN VACCINE STRAINS)

Group Art Unit: 1655
Examiner: Chakrabarti, A.

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REQUEST FOR EXTENSION OF TIME

Honorable Commissioner for Patents
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

It is respectfully requested that the time for response to the Official Office Action dated February 21, 2001, now due to expire May 21, 2001, be extended for three (3) month and be set to expire on August 21, 2001.

Please charge the large entity extension fee of \$870.00 to Deposit Account No. 500417. Please charge any additional fees or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 500417, including any further extensions of time as is necessary.

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Respectfully submitted,
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